



Kerala HEALTH

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Principal Secretary

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Dear Madam,

Sub: Designating Hospitals as dedicated COVID-19 Hospitals for Case Management

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This is to inform you that Kerala has initiated preparedness activities from 18th January as soon as WHO has notified COVID -19 as an epidemic especially by keeping all those coming from affected countries in strict home isolation and tracking down their contacts. At present we have around 215 cases and more than 1.5 lakhs people on isolation over and above the country wide lockdown.

For case management Kerala is operationalizing through a three tire system namely COVID Care Centres for keeping all those suspected cases those are in isolation, COVID First Line Treatment Centres (CFLTCs) where all the tested positives with no symptoms or mild symptoms will be kept and the COVID Hospital where the treatment of sick and Critical patients will be happening.

In the state of Kerala all Medical Colleges and one District Hospital is designated as the COVID Hospital and the beds, ICU Beds and Ventilators are identified for case Management. The List of Hospitals identified are shown in the table below.

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1	Government Medical College Thiruvananthapuram
2	General Hospital Thiruvananthapuram
3	Government Medical College Kollam
4	District Hospital Kollam
5	General Hospital Pathanamthitta
6	District Hospital Kozhenchery

7	Government Medical College Alappuzha
8	THQH Haripad
9	Government Medical College Kottayam
10	District Hospital Kottayam
11	Government Medical College Idukki
12	District Hospital Thodupuzha
13	Government Medical College Ernakulam
14	PVS Hospital Ernakulam
15	Government Medical College Thrissur
16	General Hospital Hospital Thrissur
17	District Hospital Palakkad
18	THQH Ottappalam
19	Government Medical College Manjeri
20	District Hospital Thirur
21	Government Medical College Kozhikode
22	General Hospital Kozhikode
23	District Hospital Mananthawaady
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25	District Hospital Kannur
26	Government Medical College Kannur

27	District Hospital Kanjangad
28	General Hospital Kasargod

This is for your Kind Information.

With good wishes,

Sincerely,

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